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For: PELVIC ARTERIAL CATHETER

TELEPHONE INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the courtesy extended to its undersigned representative in a telephone interview on January 8, 2010.

During the telephone interview, claim 1 was discussed along with the cited Swartz reference, U.S. Patent 5,800,413. Applicant's attorney discussed the nature and application of the invention and surprising results of the invention as claimed to one of ordinary skill in the art which are of record in the application. An amendment is pending including amendments to claim 1 related to dimensions of the claimed catheter. Applicant's attorney discussed why these dimensions are not believed to be obvious over the cited prior art. The Examiner indicated that a new search would be performed and that Applicants remarks and evidence already of record would be considered.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for his attention to the claims and for the subsequent Interview Summary.

Respectfully submitted,

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